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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This is a timely reply to an Office Action dated January 4, 2005. As no claims have been added, and no extension fee is required, no fees are enclosed herewith. If any additional fee is due, please charge the fee to deposit account no. 07-1732.